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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hajime KOBAYASHI et al.

Serial No. 10/659,251

Group Art Unit: 3747

Confirmation No. 3551

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Examiner: Willis R. Wolfe, Jr.

For: VEHICLE-MOUNTED INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on June 17, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Entry of these Rule 116 amendments is requested because the rejected claims have been cancelled.

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